

Appl. No. 10/598,680  
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Reply to Office Action of July 1, 2008

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:  
Mitsuo KONDO et al.

Serial No: 10/598,680

Confirmation No.: 8787

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For: MULTI-LAYER PIEZOELECTRIC  
ELEMENT AND METHOD FOR  
MANUFACTURING THE SAME

Art Unit: 2834

Examiner: Thomas M. Dougherty

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 1, 2008, the time for response to which is extended 1 month by the accompanying petition from October 1, 2008 to November 1, 2008, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

**Amendments** to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.